



Louis Latour Agencies

Côte-Rôtie Brune et Blonde Vidal-Fleury

Vintage	2005
Country of Origin	France
Region	Northern Rhône
Grape varieties	Syrah, Viognier

Wine description

Established in 1781 in the Northern Rhone Valley, Vidal-Fleury is the oldest continuously operating winery in the Rhone Valley. Syrah & Viognier come from terraces mainly on the Cote Brune and the Cote Blonde.

Tasting note

Red with some carmine glint in the glass. The wine has fresh fruits, violet, pepper, smoky and black olive aromas. The palate is rich and full bodied with good balance. It has red fruit, blackcurrant, spice flavours with a persistent finish.

Vineyard information

Average vine age	Planted 1940
Elevation	200 - 350m
Soil composition	Steep granitic terraces on gneiss or micaschist
Average yield (hl/ha)	37 hl/ha
Harvest type	Hand picked
Environmental management	Sustainable

Winemaking information

De-stemmed	Partially
Fermentation vessel	Stainless steel tank
Fermentation	Indigenous yeast
Maturation vessel	on lees in small oak barrels
Maturation time	4 years
Fining/clarification	No
Filtration	Yes, 1 (cross flow) before bottling

Wine Analysis

Alcohol by volume	13%
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